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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

U.S. Patent 3,002,450 (Papa et al.), dated October 3, 1961;

U. S. Patent 5,445,076 (Sugiyama et al.), dated August 29, 1995;

German Patent 465 246, dated August 30, 1928, process to obtain a good register at printing presses with several printing mechanisms;

German Published Prosecuted Patent Application 1 174 801 (Papa et al.), dated July 30, 1964, device for the setting to different sheet weights at a rotary printing machine for multiple color printing;

German Published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 34 00 652 A1, dated July 18, 1985, sheet processing printing machine;

German Published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 39 02 923 A1 (Wirz et al.), dated October 5, 1989, sheet guiding drum for sheet rotary printing machines;



10/8/00 M. Indas German Published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 40 13 003 A1 (Köbler), dated October 31, 1991, correction of a diagonally lying printing image;

German Published Non-Prosecuted Patent Application DE 197 15 242 A1 (Pscheidl), dated October 15, 1998, printing machine with at least two offset cylinders assigned to a printing cylinder;

German Search Report 101 02 735.4, dated July 31, 2001.

If no translation of pertinent portions of any foreign language patents or publications mentioned above is included with the aforementioned copies of those applications, patents and/or publications, it is because no existing translation is readily available to the applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

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